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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Dale Stuart Shepard  
Serial No.: 10/  
Filed: Tuesday, March 23, 2004  
For: A DEVICE AND METHOD FOR AIDING INSTALLATION OF  
SUSPENDED CEILINGS  
Customer No. 25179  
Docket No.: S-00047-001  
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Enclosed are the following papers:

X Specification, abstract and claims, 12 pages total.  
X Drawings: 5 sheet(s), x formal,    informal  
X Declaration and Power of Attorney X executed    unexecuted  
X Applicant is a small entity status  
X Enclosed herewith is a form PTO 2038 with authorization to charge in the amount of  
\$385.00 and authorization to charge account 500353 for any deficiency which is calculated as  
follows.

   I claim the benefit under 36 USC 120 for continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No.  
X Information Disclosure Statement  
X The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.  
   Assignment  
   Nonpublication request

CLAIMS AS FILED

Number filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a)
			\$770.00
<u>Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))</u>		<u>7 -20= 0 X \$ 18.00 -</u>	<u>198.00</u>
<u>Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))</u>		<u>2- 3= 0 - X \$ 86.00</u>	<u>  -  </u>
<u>Multiple dependent claim(s), if any</u>			
<u>(37 CFR 1.16(d))</u>		<u>\$290.00 -</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Filing Fee Calculation			
Small Entity			770 x .5 = 385.00
Assignment recordation			
Total			385.00

Respectfully submitted,

By   
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I hereby certify that the following attached:

- ☒ transmittal letter
- ☒ new application 12 pages spec, drawings (5 pages)
- ☒ declaration and power of attorney
- ☒ information disclosure statement
- ☐ assignment
- ☒ filing fee

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